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| | Group Art Unit | 1632 | |
| | Examiner Name | D.T. Nguyen | |
| | Title | Delivery of therapeutic gene products by intestinal cell expression | |

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated September 12, 2002 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due on or before December 12, 2002. *A Petition for a three-Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith, making this amendment due on or before March 12, 2003.* Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

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